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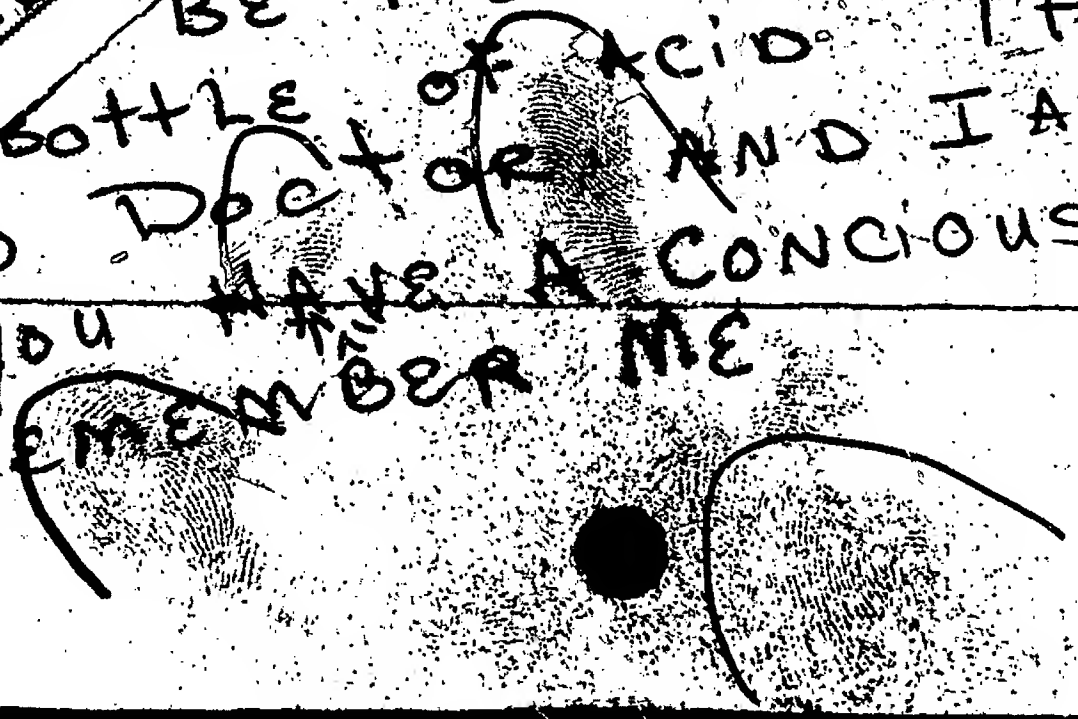
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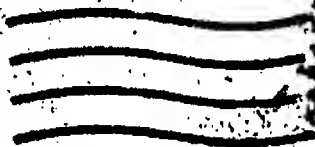
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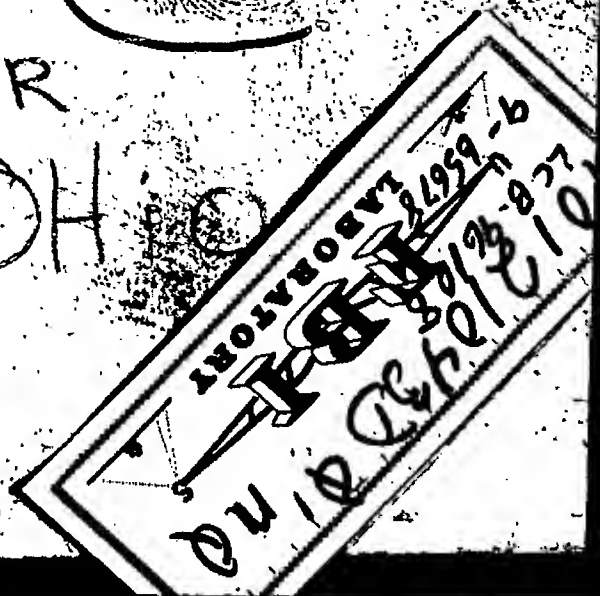
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SAC, Minneapolis (9A-2415) (P)

Re:



William Franklin Graham, MA

Reverend Billy Graham - Victim;
Extortion

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Letter

Handwritten beginning

Fredrick V. January 2, 1941

Mr. William Franklin Graham

memorandum

DATE: 1/12/81

REPLY TO: SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (9A-2415)

SUBJECT:

WILLIAM FRANKLIN GRAHAM, aka
 Reverend Billy Graham - VICTIM;
 *** EXTORTION
 OO: MINNEAPOLIS

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 (ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION,
 FBI LABORATORY)

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Enclosed for the Bureau is the original two page letter with accompanying envelope addressed to WILLIAM FRANKLIN GRAHAM, and two copies of an FD-302 reflecting interview with [redacted] on 1/9/81. Enclosed for Chicago is one photocopy of a two page letter and envelope addressed to GRAHAM, and one copy of an FD-302 reflecting interview with [redacted]

On 1/6/81, [redacted], Executive Vice President, Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, 1300 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, Minnesota, telephonically contacted the Minneapolis Office of the FBI with information that a threatening letter had been addressed to WILLIAM FRANKLIN GRAHAM at the Association's headquarters address. The contents of the letter were threatening toward GRAHAM, as well as other individuals.

Minneapolis indices negative regarding [redacted]

For information of FBIHQ, on 1/9/81, SA [redacted], U.S. Secret Service, Minneapolis, Minnesota, advised that his office was notified of the receipt of the threatening letter to GRAHAM. [redacted] has determined that [redacted] is well known to the Secret Service in Chicago, and to Secret Service Headquarters in Washington as a chronic letter writer. [redacted] a white male in his [redacted] is a frequent

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writer of threatening letters to important individuals, both in and out of government.

On 1/9/81, AUSA RICHARD E. VOSEPKA, District of Minnesota, Minneapolis, after a review of the letter, advised that he was of the opinion that the contents of the letter were threatening in nature, and requested that additional investigation be conducted into this matter.

For information of FBI Identification Division, numerous office employees of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association had contact with the enclosed letter and envelope prior to their being furnished to the FBI.

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Request of FBI Identification Division
Latent Fingerprint Section

Will conduct fingerprint examination of enclosed letter and envelope in an effort to determine latent fingerprints.

Request of FBI Laboratory
Document Examination Section

Will search anonymous letter file in an effort to determine writer of enclosed letter and/or similarities with other extortion or threatening type letters previously submitted.

LEADS:

CHICAGO

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

1. Will locate and interview [redacted] in an effort to determine his involvement in captioned matter.

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2. Will search Chicago indices regarding

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Date of transcription 1/12/81

[redacted] Executive Vice President, Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, 1300 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, Minnesota, telephone 338-0500, was contacted at his place of employment, furnished with the official identity of the interviewing Agent and with the nature of the interview. Wilson subsequently furnished the following information:

The Billy Graham Evangelistic Association on January 5, 1981, received a letter addressed to Mr. William Franklin Graham. Graham is identical to the Evangelist Billy Graham, and the Minneapolis based Billy Graham Evangelistic Association is the national headquarters for Graham's organization. Occasionally [redacted] office does receive threatening type letters but they are somewhat of a rarity. This particular letter was of some concern to [redacted] in that it implied threats to Graham and other individuals. Because Graham and one of the other individuals mentioned in the letter, Frank Sinatra, are both involved in the January 20, 1981, inauguration ceremonies of President Elect Reagan in Washington, Wilson advised that he reported the receipt of this letter to the U.S. Secret Service in Minneapolis, as well as the FBI.

The name [redacted] is unknown to [redacted] and the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association.

[redacted] pointed out that because the letter was addressed to William Franklin Graham, the writer may possibly be from the southern part of the U.S., in that it is a common term of address in that part of the country. Graham was born in Charlotte, North Carolina, and currently resides in Asheville, North Carolina.

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Interviewed on 1/9/81 at Minneapolis, Minnesota File # Minneapolis 9A-2415

by SA [redacted] /hrb Date dictated 1/9/81

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The envelope containing the threatening letter was handwritten and addressed to Mr. William Franklin Graham, 1300 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55403. The envelope which contained no return address contained a postmark of Chicago, Illinois, which was dated January 2, 1981.

The two page letter was handwritten on the reverse side of a photocopy of two different articles which appeared in Life magazine with handwritten notations on April 26, 1943, and May 24, 1943.

The following is a verbatim of the two page letter:

"Friday January 2-1981

Mr. William Franklin Graham
1300 Harmon Pl
Minneapolis MN. 55403

Dear Mr. Graham

Frank Sinatra is Next.
Berry Como Follows.
Billy Graham Follows.

Sinatra, Como, Graham is the Same International Thing as the Phony John Linnon, And you should and will be in the same place as the Phony John Linnon.

Thank You Very Sincerely

Charles Otto Fox
66 W Van Buren St

Chicago Illinois 60605 Room B 93.

You Have a few more days to Humiliate the American People. The White Right Wing Gentiles. You should tell the American People you are going to Breathe for them.

There will Be No Singing in the 1980's.
There will Be No Music in the 1980's.

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Prime Minister Mrs. Margaret Thatcher Came
to Washington D.C. Seeking More First Class
Information. First Class Information Is Knowledge.
America Wants No Part of Your Phony Book.

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Our Hand Guns Are Controlled.
You will be told about this message before
you get it.

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Lord Hindu is looking Down my Neck Since June 1934."

[redacted] furnished the original two page letter
and its accompanying envelope to interviewing Agent.

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535b6
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To: SAC, Minneapolis (9A-2415)

February 6, 1981

From: Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

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YOUR NO.

Re:

WILLIAM FRANKLIN GRAHAM, aka
Reverend Billy Graham - VICTIM;
EXTORTION

OO: Minneapolis

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Reference letter dated January 12, 1981.

The material described below has been searched in the following file without effecting an identification:

Anonymous Letter File

Copies have been added to this file for future reference.

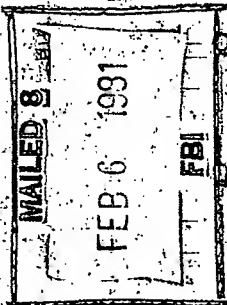
The submitted material is being returned with the fingerprint report.

MATERIAL SUBMITTED:

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02 Accompanying two-page handwritten letter, page one beginning "Friday January 2-1981 Mr. William Franklin Graham..."

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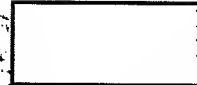
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To: SAC, Minneapolis (9A-2415)

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Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

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Message in blue ink

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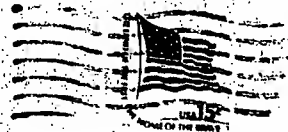
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